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Dear Parent/Carer

I write to thank you for your support this half term and to update you with some up and coming events at Park Community School.

Halloween

As you will be aware we return to school after the half-term break on Monday, 31 October, which is Halloween. If students wish to dress in Halloween costumes on that day they may do so.

Year 11 Parents' evening

If you are a parent of a Year 11 student, we are holding a parents' information evening on Wednesday, 9 November. The focus is revision techniques. More details of this event are enclosed with this letter. You will also find enclosed a letter regarding college and apprenticeship interviews.

Punctuality

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you that we regard punctual arrival to school as very important. We will issue fixed penalty notices to parents where their son/daughter is persistently late to school.

Assessment Reports

The latest assessment report for your son/daughter is enclosed with this letter.

'Clown Craze'

We have received notification from Hampshire Police that they have begun to receive reports of incidents of 'Clown Craze', as have other police forces. You will no doubt have heard this is a craze that began in America.

The advice from the police is that they are taking all reports of incidents seriously and that if you have any concerns of an incident that requires a response please contact the police using either 999 or 101.

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Key Dates

- Monday, 31 October - students return to school as normal after half-term break. Please note that students may wear Halloween costumes on this day only.
- Monday, 14 November – school closed to students for staff training
- Monday, 28 November to Friday, 2 December – Year 10 internal exams week
- Monday, 5 December to Saturday, 9 December – school production week
- Friday, 16 December 2016 – last day at school before the Christmas break

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sue Walker".

Sue Walker
Deputy Headteacher